GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:227
ANSWERED ON:21.07.2004
CONSTRUCTION OF NEW HIGHWAYS
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the proposals received by the Government for construction of new highways from various States;

(b) the number of proposals already cleared and details of funds released under CRF during the last three years, year-wise; and

(c) the reasons for non-clearance of the rest of the proposals alongwith the time by when these are likely to be cleared?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS (SHRI T.R. BAALU)

(a) to (c) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 227 FOR ANSWER ON 21.07.2004 RAISED BY Dr. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA AND SHRI THAWARCHAND GEHLOT REGARDING CONSTRUCTION OF NEW HIGHWAYS.

(a) This Ministry is essentially responsible for development and maintenance of National Highways. The last declaration of National Highways was made on 25.02.2004. The details of proposals for construction and declaration of National Highways, received after 25.02.2004, are given at Annexure-1.

(b) The details of proposals received, cleared and funds allocated from Central Road Fund (CRF) for State Roads during the last three years are given below;-

Sl.No.	Year	Proposals received No.	Proposals received Amount (Rs. in crore)	Proposals cleared No.	Proposals cleared Amount (Rs. in crore)	Fund released (Rs. in crore)
1.	2001-2002	1218	2665.02	950	1407.66	300.00
2.	2002-2003	806	1975.50	487	679.58	950.28
3.	2003-2004	990	2994.48	761	1426.80	778.94

(c) The remaining proposals could not be approved due to various reasons, such as less utilization of funds by the respective State Governments for the already approved works, lower inter-se priority of works and non-fulfillment of the prescribed guidelines. Further approvals will depend upon the utilization of fund by State Governments, inter-se priority of works and fulfillment of prescribed guidelines and therefore no time frame could be fixed.

ANNEXURE-1 REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 227 FOR ANSWER ON 21.07.2004 RAISED BY Dr. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA AND SHRI THAWARCHAND GEHLOT REGARDING CONSTRUCTION OF NEW HIGHWAYS.

(A) Details of proposals for construction of National Highways received from State Governments after 25.02.2004

Sl. No.	Name of the State	Details of Roads / Stretches
1	Sikkim	Alternative National Highway from Nathula to Siliguri

(B) Details of proposals for declaration of new National Highways received from State Governments after 25.02.2004

Sl. No.	Name of the State	Details of Roads / Stretches	Length in km
1	Karnataka		
		(i) Mysore-Malavalli Road	45
		(ii) Bilikere-Hassan-Hosptet-Manvi-Raichur Road	612
		(iii) Mysore-Srirangapatna-Hiriyur-Gulbarga-Bidar Road	743
		(iv) Banglore-Mysore-Madikere-Puttur Road	361
		(v) Belgaum-Yaragalli-Mudgal-Raichur-Mahaboob nagar Road	338
		(vi) Dharwad-Ramnagar Road	52
		(vii Bantwal-Mudigere-Belur-Sira-Chintamani-Srinivasapur-Mulabagal-State border	487
		(viii)Jeevargi-Hattigudur-Lingasugur-Sindhanur-Bellary	248
		(ix) Doddaballapur-Nandi-Vijayapura-Vemagal-Kolar	82
		Sub Total	2968
2	Meghalaya		
		(i) Nongstoin-Tura Road	218
		(ii) Agia-Medhipara-Phulwabri-Ampati-Mohenderaganj-Purakhasia-Barengapara Road	224
		Sub Total	442
3	Orissa		
		(i) Berhampur-Rayagada-Koraput Road	313
		Sub Total	313
4	Rajasthan		
		(i) Mathura-Bharatpur Road	40
		(ii) Nasirabad-Devli Road	95
		(iii) Kotputli-Sikar Road	125
		(iv) Khairwara-Doongarpur-Baanswara-Ratlam Road	210
		(v) Swarup Ganj-Kotra-Som-Kherwada Road	147
		(vi) Falaudi-Nagore Road	140
		(vii) Shridungargarh- Sardarshahar- Pulasar-Balarasar-Jasarasar	115
		Sub Total	872
5	Tamil Nadu		
		(i) Sathy (Sathyamangalam)-Athani-Bhavani Road (State Highway No. 82)	52.80
		(ii)Avinashi-Tiruppur-Palladam-Pollachi-Meenkarai	

	Road (State Highway No. 19)	99.60
	Sub Total	152.40
6 West Bengal		
(i)	Galgalia in West Bengal and Bihar Border to Purnia, via Asraria and Golabbagh in Bihar	102
	Sub Total	102
	Grand Total	4849.40